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For: **METHOD FOR PRODUCING MULTI-LAYERED PREFORMS**

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

The Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Enclosed herewith for filing in the above-identified matter
are the following documents:

1. Transmittal Letter
2. Status Request

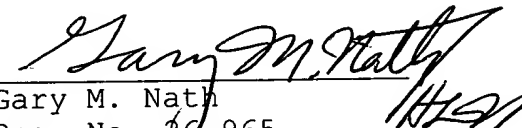
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The above-identified patent application was filed as a National Stage application on 20 April 2000. A response to a Notification Of Missing Requirements ... (dated 25 May 2000) was filed in the PTO on 23 June 2000. No communication has been received indicating any action on the response since that time. That is, no communication has been received indicating acceptance of the application as a complete application (by the issuance of a filing receipt). The undersigned attorney requests the status of the application and of the estimated date when a filing receipt may be mailed.

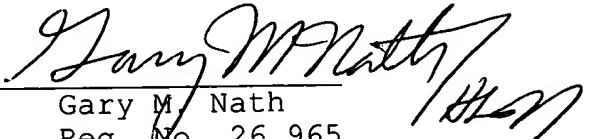
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